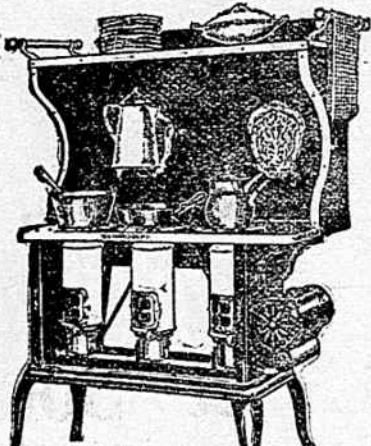


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It has a Cabinet Top with shelf for keeping plates and food hot. It has long turquoise-blue enamel chimneys. The nickel finish, makes the bright blue of the chimneys, makes the stove ornamental and attractive. Made with 1, 2 and 3 burners; the 2 and 3-burner stove can be had with or without Cabinet.

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THURSDAY EVENING, JUNE 30

A Courtier in Blue Flannel.

A fine youth lay at anchor awaiting a favorable breeze for his mission of pleasure. The crew idled about the deck, and a happy group of guests was aft conversing pleasantly. In the group was a handsome mother. Her romping boy of five years broke from her hand, clambered to the rail, rolled over it and was whirled down the tide. The mother's shrieks roused a dozing, lounging sailor, who at once comprehended the situation and plunged after the child. Others promptly manned a boat and soon overhauled the sailor, who was now swimming with the little fellow in his grasp. As soon as they returned to the yacht's deck the mother, with streaming eyes, threw her arms around the neck of the dripping rescuer and fervently exclaimed: "Oh, oh, sir, how can I ever repay you? Name your own reward for giving back my son and saving me from a broken heart!"

Then she pressed a half score of kisses on the tar's weather bronzed cheeks. "Lady," answered he as she released him, "let the youngster go overboard again!"

The Test of a Wedding Ceremony.

A certain young pastor was planning with a young couple the steps in a marriage ceremony when the bride suddenly remarked, "Don't you make me promise to obey him?" "You ought to have some head to your family," replied the minister. Then, turning to the groom, he asked, "Will you promise to obey her?"

"Not much, I won't!" "What then? Do you expect me to tie you together and leave you to fight it out afterward?"

"Isn't that the way they generally do?"

After a moment's thought the clergyman answered: "I will tell you what I will do. I will use the same ceremony that was used at my wedding. Neither party promises to obey the other in that, and it has worked well in our case."

"I don't know," said the young man, doubtfully gazing at the top of the minister's head already becoming bald. "If it is going to work on my head as it has on yours I don't believe that I want to try it."

The First Great Bank.

The first great bank in the world was the bank of Venice, established in 1157 when the queen city of the Adriatic was the head of the commerce of the western world. At that time the great current of the trade between Europe and Asia passed through the Persian Gulf and the Red Sea to Alexandria, Egypt, and was carried in ships across the Mediterranean sea, and through the Adriatic to Venice, where it was distributed to various parts of Europe. Venice was a sort of automatic republic, founded and supported by its merchants, who were famed throughout the world for their wealth and reliability. They founded their bank, which was guaranteed by the government and was held in high credit in all the great cities on the routes of trade. The word "bank" was derived from the Italian word "banco," a bench or counter over which the business was transacted.—Argonaut.

A Giant Among Dwarfs.

The intellect and genius of Franklin were perhaps never more manifest than when, as the colonial agent of Pennsylvania, he appeared before the British house of commons in order to undergo an inquisition into the taxation questions which were brewing the trouble which subsequently resulted in American freedom. Not fewer than 300 questions were propounded to him by some of the acutest legal and political minds of the old country. To each and every one of them he replied in a masterly manner. Edmund Burke, in commenting on the matter said that Franklin reminded him of "a man being examined by a parcel of schoolboys," while Charles James Fox remarked that his inquisitors were "dwarfs in the hand of a giant."

The Unknown World.

Notwithstanding the rapid advance of exploration in various parts of the globe it is estimated that about 20,000,000 square miles of the earth's surface remain yet unexplored. The largest unexplored area is in Africa, 6,500,000 miles, but even North America contains 1,500,000 square miles of virgin territory. Most persons will be surprised to learn that there is three times as much land awaiting the foot of the pioneer in North America as in South America.—Chicago Tribune.

One Glean of Joy.

Johnny had two presents at the same time—one a diary, which is kept very carefully, and the other a pen shooting popgun, which he fires indifferently on all occasions. One day his mother found the following terse record in his diary: "Monday cold and sloppy; Tuesday cold and sloppy; Wednesday cold and sloppy; Thursday cold and sloppy; Friday cold and sloppy; Saturday cold and sloppy; Sunday cold and sloppy."—Youth's Companion.

In Legal Terms.

She (after a tiff)—You will admit you were wrong? He (a young lawyer)—No, but I'll admit that an unintentional error might have unknowingly crept into my assertion.

Not the Only One.

"Sir, I heard you using the word 'jackass.' Did you apply it to me?" "No, sir. Do you think you're the only jackass in the world?"—Cleveland Leader.

Resolve to wait in weakness and to walk in power.—Charlotte Stetson.

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Capital	\$100,000.00
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Saved by His Wit.

Lord Justice Fitzgibbon, at the time when he was one of the justices of appeals of Ireland, was holding assizes to Tipperary county when a man was brought before him on indictment for murder. The case was proved that the victim came to his death by being hit with a stick in the hands of the defendant, but the doctor testified that he had what they called in medical parlance a "paper skull."

The case looked dark for the prisoner, however, and the jury returned a verdict of guilty. As the man was brought before the court for sentence it was noticed that his lordship had his black cap in his hand.

"Have you anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced upon you?" demanded Lord Fitzgibbon.

"The man looked for a moment and then said, 'No, your lordship, I have nothing to say, but I should like to ask one question.'"

"What is that, my man?" said Fitzgibbon.

"I should like to know what a man with a head like that was doing in Tipperary?"

"If,"

Joseph Chamberlain, the English statesman, was once indebted to a nursery rhyme for a great oratorical hit. In one of his speeches he was criticizing Lord Beaconsfield and Lord Salisbury on their return from Berlin, where they had been treating. Both had made speeches explaining their actions, and one of them in the course of his oratory used the word "if" so many times as to give Mr. Chamberlain a chance in his reply to make one of those popular allusions which are remembered longer than any logic.

"What the honorable gentleman has said," he remarked, "reminds me of a rhyme I learned from my nurse: 'If all the seas were bread and cheese, If all the rivers were ink, If all the lakes were currant cakes, What should we have to drink?'"

The effect on the audience was tremendous. No one ever forgot that "if."

Marriage Marts.

The famous Tunis marriage mart is held twice a year, in the spring and in the autumn. The Tunisian girls attend by the hundreds, each with her dowry in coin and jewelry disposed about her person. The "golden girdle of maidenhood" encircles her waist, and in it is an unshaken dagger. When the dagger is gently removed by a passing girl, a prettier custom prevails, means that a proposal has been made.

A prettier custom prevails means that a proposal has been made. Oromo maids, who, at stated intervals, assemble in the market place. In front of each is a lighted lamp, an emblem of conjugal fidelity. A young man feels attracted and gently blows upon the flame, extinguishing it. When the girl relights it, it is a rejection; if she allows the lamp to go unlighted, however, the suitor is acceptable.

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK.

Alexandria, Va., June 22, 1910. At a regular meeting of the board of directors, held at the banking house this day, a regular semi-annual dividend of 4 per cent. was declared; also an extra dividend of 1 per cent. both payable on and after July 1, 1910.

RICHARD M. GREEN, Cashier.

RAILROADS

Southern Railway.

Trains leave Union Station, Alexandria.

In effect June 13, 1910.

N. B.—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

7:47 A. M.—Daily local between Washington and Danville.

8:17 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations.

9:17 A. M.—Daily—T. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for points south at which scheduled to stop. First class coaches; sleeping cars to Birmingham and drawing room sleeping cars to New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:17 A. M.—Daily—Mail train. Coaches for Manassas, Charlottesville, Lynchburg, Danville and Greensboro. Sleeping cars Greensboro to Atlanta.

12:17 P. M.—Week days—Local for Warrenton and Harrisonburg.

4:22 P. M.—Daily—Birmingham special. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta, Alton and Jacksonville.

5:22 P. M.—Daily—Birmingham. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service. Tourist sleeping cars to Birmingham weekly.

8:22 P. M.—Week days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch. Pullman buffet parlor car.

9:22 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

10:22 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Charlottesville Limited (via Lynchburg). First-class coach and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville and Chattanooga. Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke.

11:22 P. M.—Daily—New York, Atlanta and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, club and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleeping cars to Asheville, Atlanta, Macon and New Orleans. Sleeping cars to Charlotte. Dining car service.

12:22 A. M.—Daily—Memphis special. Sleeping cars and coaches for Roanoke, Knoxville, Nashville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Dining car service. Washington sleeping cars open daily 10:30 to 12:30.

Through trains from the south arrive at Alexandria 6:13 and 6:28 and 10:23 a. m., 2:13, 7:25, 10:13 and 11:58 p. m. daily. Harrisonburg 12:25 a. m. week days and 9:13 p. m. daily. From Charlottesville 9:28 a. m.

TRAINS ON BLUEMONT BRANCH.

Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) week days at 8:22 A. M., 10:30 and 12:30.

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Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect May 1, 1910.

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For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5:40, 6:05, 6:20, 6:40, 6:55, 7:05, 7:15, 7:25, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:15, 8:25, 8:35, 8:45, 9:00, 9:10, 9:20, 9:30, 9:40, 9:50, 10:00, 10:10, 10:20, 10:30, 10:40, 10:50, 11:00, 11:10, 11:20, 11:30, 11:40, 11:50, 12:00, 12:10, 12:20, 12:30, 12:40, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:40, 1:50, 2:00, 2:10, 2:20, 2:30, 2:40, 2:50, 3:00, 3:10, 3:20, 3:30, 3:40, 3:50, 4:00, 4:10, 4:20, 4:30, 4:40, 4:50, 5:00, 5:10, 5:20, 5:30, 5:40, 5:50, 6:00, 6:10, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40, 6:50, 7:00, 7:10, 7:20, 7:30, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:20, 8:30, 8:40, 8:50, 9:00, 9:10, 9:20, 9:30, 9:40, 9:50, 10:00, 10:10, 10:20, 10:30, 10:40, 10:50, 11:00, 11:10, 11:20, 11:30, 11:40, 11:50, 12:00, 12:10, 12:20, 12:30, 12:40, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:40, 1:50, 2:00, 2:10, 2:20, 2:30, 2:40, 2:50, 3:00, 3:10, 3:20, 3:30, 3:40, 3:50, 4:00, 4:10, 4:20, 4:30, 4:40, 4:50, 5:00, 5:10, 5:20, 5:30, 5:40, 5:50, 6:00, 6:10, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40, 6:50, 7:00, 7:10, 7:20, 7:30, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:20, 8:30, 8:40, 8:50, 9:00, 9:10, 9:20, 9:30, 9:40, 9:50, 10:00, 10:10, 10:20, 10:30, 10:40, 10:50, 11:00, 11:10, 11:20, 11:30, 11:40, 11:50, 12:00, 12:10, 12:20, 12:30, 12:40, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:40, 1:50, 2:00, 2:10, 2:20, 2:30, 2:40, 2:50, 3:00, 3:10, 3:20, 3:30, 3:40, 3:50, 4:00, 4:10, 4:20, 4:30, 4:40, 4:50, 5:00, 5:10, 5:20, 5:30, 5:40, 5:50, 6:00, 6:10, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40, 6:50, 7:00, 7:10, 7:20, 7:30, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:20, 8:30, 8:40, 8:50, 9:00, 9:10, 9:20, 9:30, 9:40, 9:50, 10:00, 10:10, 10:20, 10:30, 10:40, 10:50, 11:00, 11:10, 11:20, 11:30, 11:40, 11:50, 12:00, 12:10, 12:20, 12:30, 12:40, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:40, 1:50, 2:00, 2:10, 2:20, 2:30, 2:40, 2:50, 3:00, 3:10, 3:20, 3:30, 3:40, 3:50, 4:00, 4:10, 4:20, 4:30, 4:40, 4:50, 5:00, 5:10, 5:20, 5:30, 5:40, 5:50, 6:00, 6:10, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40, 6:50, 7:00, 7:10, 7:20, 7:30, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:20, 8:30, 8:40, 8:50, 9:00, 9:10, 9:20, 9:30, 9:40, 9:50, 10:00, 10:10, 10:20, 10:30, 10:40, 10:50, 11:00, 11:10, 11:20, 11:30, 11:40, 11:50, 12:00, 12:10, 12:20, 12:30, 12:40, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:40, 1:50, 2:00, 2:10, 2:20, 2:30, 2:40, 2:50, 3:00, 3:10, 3:20, 3:30, 3:40, 3:50, 4:00, 4:10, 4:20, 4:30, 4:40, 4:50, 5:00, 5:10, 5:20, 5:30, 5:40, 5:50, 6:00, 6:10, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40, 6:50, 7:00, 7:10, 7:20, 7:30, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:20, 8:30, 8:40, 8:50, 9:00, 9:10, 9:20, 9:30, 9:40, 9:50, 10:00, 10:10, 10:20, 10:30, 10:40, 10:50, 11:00, 11:10, 11:20, 11:30, 11:40, 11:50, 12:00, 12:10, 12:20, 12:30, 12:40, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:40, 1:50, 2:00, 2:10, 2:20, 2:30, 2:40, 2:50, 3:00, 3:10, 3:20, 3:30, 3:40, 3:50, 4:00, 4:10, 4:20, 4:30, 4:40, 4:50, 5:00, 5:10, 5:20, 5:30, 5:40, 5:50, 6:00, 6:10, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40, 6:50, 7:00, 7:10, 7:20, 7:30, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:20, 8:30, 8:40, 8:50, 9:00, 9:10, 9:20, 9:30, 9:40, 9:50, 10:00, 10:10, 10:20, 10:30, 10:40, 10:50, 11:00, 11:10, 11:20, 11:30, 11:40, 11:50, 12:00, 12:10, 12:20, 12:30, 12:40, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:40, 1:50, 2:00, 2:10, 2:20, 2:30, 2:40, 2:50, 3:00, 3:10, 3:20, 3:30, 3:40, 3:50, 4:00, 4:10, 4:20, 4:30, 4:40, 4:50, 5:00, 5:10, 5:20, 5:30, 5:40, 5:50, 6:00, 6:10, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40, 6:50, 7:00, 7:10, 7:20, 7:30, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:20, 8:30, 8:40, 8:50, 9:00, 9:10, 9:20, 9:30, 9:40, 9:50, 10:00, 10:10, 10:20, 10:30, 10:40, 10:50, 11:00, 11:10, 11:20, 11:30, 11:40, 11:50, 12:00, 12:10, 12:20, 12:30, 12:40, 1:00, 1:15, 1:30, 1:40, 1:50, 2:00, 2:10, 2:20, 2:30, 2:40, 2:50, 3:00, 3:10, 3:20, 3:30, 3:40, 3:50, 4:00, 4:10, 4:20, 4:30, 4:40, 4:5